

## LIPTON WILL TRY AGAIN

## Declination of His Challenge by N. Y. Yacht Club

## WILL NOT PREVENT RACE

## British Sporting Blood Is Aroused and a Ninety-Footer Will Be Built to Race for the America's Cup.

London, Sept. 26.—Despite the New York Yacht club's refusal to consider Lipton's challenge, the British sporting element can arrange one. Sir Thomas was not available this morning, but his closest adviser and confidant said: "This preliminary refusal of a challenge causes no surprise. In fact, we rather expected it. However, if we can secure just the slightest concession from the New York Yacht club, we are willing to race, and we can build a ninety-footer just as easily as we can a sixty-eight footer. Sir Thomas hopes the American yachtsmen will recognize this fact. The Royal Yacht club, we are willing to race, and times with the New York Yacht club, modification of the rules, and we have every hope we will succeed. The English-speaking sportsmen, without regard to nationality, are anxious for a race."

The general feeling among London yachtsmen is that there will be a fourth Shamrock, and that it will be the best for a boat with all the time allowances barred.

At his country house this afternoon, Sir Thomas Lipton declared he could not say what his future course would be until he received the complete text of the American refusal. "I am disappointed," he said. "The New York Yacht club has always been very good friends. Hitherto I have been refused nothing, and it is evident that the new rules have caused a declination. I had hoped they would sanction a real race with real boats, manned by crack crews and skippers. But the New York Yacht club wants me to race with a ninety-footer, I will of course do so. I will not, however, ever race again with a boat built under the old rules, which resulted in the construction of freaks like the former Shamrocks." Lipton has already telegraphed to Designer Fife to come here for a consultation regarding plans for a new boat.

## DECLINE LIPTON'S CHALLENGE. The New York Yacht Club Cannot Accept.

New York, Sept. 26.—Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for a race of sloops under the 65-foot rule, which the members of the club based their refusal to race on the general proposition that the America's cup represents a trophy for the speediest type of yacht that can be produced on a waterline length of 90 feet or under, and that therefore any proposition to limit the size of the boats must be refused.

## SUITS BY WHOLESALE.

Bonaparte Orders Them Against Railroad—Including Central Vermont.

Washington, Sept. 26.—U. S. district attorneys throughout the country yesterday were instructed by Atty. Gen. Bonaparte to institute suits against a large number of railroad companies to recover penalties incurred by them for alleged violations of the safety appliance law.

The number of alleged violations aggregated 287. Among the roads affected are the Central Vermont, which will be tried in the federal district court of Vermont for one alleged violation of the law. The Rutland railroad will also be cited for two alleged violations of the law in Vermont.

## CLERK LURED FROM STORE; \$300 TAKEN.

Manchester Man's Cash, Saved For Trip to Boston, Goes as Steal is Alone.

Manchester, N. H., Sept. 26.—While a stranger gradually led the clerk of H. Kanda's fruit store on Elm street farther and farther away from the place on the pretense of delivering fruit to deliver some fruit he had purchased, another stranger, entering the place which had been left alone, rifled the cash drawer yesterday of \$300 Mr. Kanda had saved for a trip to Boston. The police have been unable to find any clue to the robbers.

## TOPSHAM.

Mrs. Leonard Paul, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Wormwood, has returned to her home in Bradford, N. H.

Mrs. J. B. McLean and son, Harry, Mrs. Alonzo D. Hood and daughter, Miss Maud, were in Barre last Thursday.

Clifton B. Smith, of Burlington and Miss Margaret Hubbard of Fairfax, were recent guests of Josiah Page.

Edgar Taplin of South Kyrgyz was in town last Wednesday and was accompanied home by Miss Sarah McKay, who will serve as domestic in their family for a short time as Mrs. Taplin is suffering from a broken limb.

George Wormwood and several others from this vicinity attended the fair at St. Johnsbury last Wednesday.

Miss Alice Taplin, who is teaching in the Keenan district visited her sister, Miss Helen, over the Sabbath.

Miss Grace, of Philadelphia, Pa., who has been employed by the "society to protect children from cruelty" are spending their vacation with Mrs. R. R. Johnson of this village.

## UNUSUALLY GOOD RACING.

Crowd of 20,000 Takes in Sport at Valley Fair, Brattleboro.

Brattleboro, Sept. 26.—The second day of the Valley fair was signalized by the attendance of a crowd of 20,000 persons and by some races of unusual interest. The 2:30 race was unfinished and the remaining heats will be decided tomorrow. Blue Ribbon won the 2:17 race, 2:14 trot, and the 2:25 trot went to Owen Dummore. The summary:

Purse, \$400.  
Blue Ribbon, rom (Allen)..... 2 1 1  
Allegretto, hm (Roaring brook stable)..... 1 2 2  
Reddek, hrg (Prouty)..... 3 3 4  
Dorena (Fletcher)..... 6 4 4  
Hyile Dm and Smith Rheumatics all started.  
Time, 2:18 1/2, 2:20 1/2, 2:20.  
2:30 Pace.  
J. O. B. he (Newport stables)..... 1 1 2  
Joan, hm (Smith)..... 2 2 1  
Prize Glencoe, hg (Thompson)..... 4 3 4  
The Outlaw also started.  
Time, 2:24, 2:24 1/2, 2:25, 2:25.  
2:25 Trot.  
Purse, \$300.  
Owen Dummore, hs (Chase)..... 1 2 1  
Twelve (Whitcomb)..... 2 1 3  
Audobon, hg (Davis)..... 4 3 2  
Russell B, hg (Allen)..... 3 4 4  
Joe Dillon also started.  
Time, 2:24, 2:24 1/2, 2:25, 2:25.

## TOOK PRIZES AT BRATTLEBORO.

Barre Dogs Fared Well at Valley Fair Kennel Show.

Thomas Gaul returned this morning from Brattleboro fair, where he had two dogs in the show that won the first and second prizes, and also M. M. Gordon's and W. G. Reynolds' dogs took second prizes.

Mr. Gaul's English bull terrier, Shaun Rhue, won first prize in all three of the norvic, open and winner classes, a record that is rarely ever made by a six-month-old pup against full-grown dogs. His bull terrier, Inverness, a sister of Shaun Rhue, took the second prize in four classes for females, the novice, limit, open and winners. Zip, Mr. Gordon's bull terrier took the second prize in the novice class, and Mr. Reynolds' Twinkle won second in the novice-class of dogs of 17 and under 22 pounds.

## GRANGERS AT LEBANON.

Pomona Members Assemble in Large Numbers For All Day Session.

Lebanon, N. H., Sept. 26.—One of the most successful Pomona grange meetings ever held here took place yesterday. Masonic Valley and Sullivan Pomona granges being represented in large numbers and Sullivan grange furnishing the programme.

Work was conducted during the afternoon, and Montclair grange of Enfield presented a domestic drama, "The Valley Farm." On account of the grange hall not being large enough for the audience, it was adjourned to the opera house for the evening entertainment by Montclair grange. Charles McDaniel, past state master, and many other prominent grangers were present.

## CONSPIRACY IN CUBA.

Believed Certain New York Capitalists Wanted Revolution Started.

Havana, Sept. 26.—A conspiracy to start a revolutionary movement in Cuba has been discovered. Under instructions issued by Governor Magoon a number of suspicious persons believed to be connected with the conspiracy have been shadowed for several days past. It is believed that the movement is backed by New York capitalists.

The fact that Governor Magoon was cognizant of the conspiracy and the movements of the agitators seems to have served to suppress the threatened outbreak, and advice received by the government last night from all the provinces show that there is no ground at all for apprehension.

## ONE-EYED VETERAN WINS.

Has Only One Arm, But Gets High Score at Manchester Field Day.

Manchester, N. H., Sept. 26.—The Manchester veterans held their annual field day here yesterday, which was attended by nearly 1000 members and a number of invited guests. S. R. Stearns, a one-eyed and one-armed veteran, gave his comrades and some of the visitors a few points in springing. Mr. Stearns, with a Springfield rifle, made a score of 17. Mayor Eugene E. Reed, who attended the affair during the morning and who is the champion amateur shot of New England, made the highest score among the visitors. His record was also 17.

## OVER 22 KNOTS AN HOUR.

The Lusitania Made 535 Miles in 24 Hours—Cold Weather on Ocean.

On Board Steamer Lusitania, Sept. 25. (noon) via Cape Race, N. F.—At noon today we are in latitude 47.93, longitude 43.15. The day's run was 535 miles. For the last twenty-four hours ending at noon, at which time the daily reckoning is made, the steamer has maintained a speed of 22.56 knots an hour. The weather is cloudy and cold with a light wind blowing from the southwest.

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL.

Norwich Holds Holy Cross—Neither of the Teams Could Score.

Worcester, Mass., Sept. 26.—The opening of the college football season here yesterday afternoon was not an auspicious one for the Holy Cross team, which was unable to score against the Norwich university team. Norwich played a strong all around game, and did not get a point either, and the game ended with the score 0 to 0.

## HUNG HIMSELF IN NIGHT.

Ernest Porter, Aged 24, Committed Suicide—Cause a Mystery.

Proabody, Mass., Sept. 26.—Ernest Porter, aged 24, committed suicide during the night by hanging. His mother found the body when she went to call him this morning. He retired last night in good spirits and the cause of the act is a mystery.

## LEAGUE OF POSTMASTERS

## Fourth Class Men of Vermont

## MEET AT RICHFORD

## And Form a State Organization for Self-Protection and Advancement of Interest of Postal Service and the Public.

Richford, Sept. 26.—At a meeting held here yesterday an organization to be known as the Vermont State League of Fourth-Class Postmasters was instituted. The object of the league is for the improvement of the postal service, care of the common interests of the postmasters, and the welfare of the public. These officers were elected: President, G. W. Brackett, West Charlotte; vice-president, V. B. Corey, Bridgewater; secretary, W. B. Curtis, Sheldon; treasurer, C. B. Clark, Pawlet; executive committee, Ralph Sherry of Milton and Albert C. Stetson of Jacksonville. The president and secretary were chosen delegates to the national convention to be held in Washington, D. C., Oct. 22 to 24. The next annual meeting of the league will be held at White River Junction.

## DARTMOUTH FULL.

College Cannot House the Freshman Class.

Hanover, N. H., Sept. 26.—With the opening of Dartmouth college today, a large number of freshmen who have complied with the college entrance requirements will be notified by the authorities that, owing to a lack of rooming and boarding facilities, it will not be possible for them to enter Dartmouth this fall.

The exact number of the class which is to enter is not known, but it is thought that the college can accommodate 375 of those who have applied for entrance.

Between 425 and 500 new students have enrolled with the class of 1911, but those who last registered will not be allowed their matriculation papers.

The college this year increased their rooming facilities by the opening of three new dormitories and the opening of an old dormitory, which had not been used during the past two years. In this way 270 more students than last year can be accommodated.

The rooming places in private families and in the college buildings for the many students of Dartmouth's graduate school and there is little relief in that direction.

## ENTERING CLASS OF 120.

University of Vermont Opens With an Increased Enrollment.

Burlington, Sept. 26.—The 104th college year of the university of Vermont opened yesterday, with an entering class of 120. President M. H. Buckham made a brief address to the students. The total number of students in all departments this year will be about 600.

Changes are noted in the faculty as follows: Prof. W. A. Colt returns after a year's absence. A. C. Eaton, instructor in drawing, Prof. W. B. Jackson, in economics, also returns after two years' absence. Prof. Marbury-Ogle takes the place of Prof. Goodrich in Latin.

## MINORITY WANTS DIRECTOR.

Circular Addressed to Holders of Rutland Preferred Stock.

New York, Sept. 26.—A circular addressed to the minority holders of Rutland preferred stock was issued Tuesday by Cummings & Co. It asks them to unite to demand the election at the annual meeting on October 15 of a director to represent their interests. The circular calls attention to the fact that the road's gross earnings increased \$233,268, while expenses increased \$259,800 during the fiscal year ended June 30 last, and says that several laws are now in force to aid in protecting the minority interests, one of them compelling the keeping of accounts so that operating expenses and outlays for improvements shall be shown separately. The circular requests provision in the names of T. C. Delevan and Charles Gregory.

## TO PROSECUTE RAILROADS.

Government Claims There Are 287 Violations of The Safety Appliance Law.

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## BOY LOSES RIGHT ARM.

Caught in Enslage Cutter While Working in Stove.

Stowe, Sept. 26.—A boy named Devereaux about 14 years old, while working for Fletcher Brothers on the West branch in this town, suffered a serious accident about 11 o'clock yesterday morning, his right arm being caught in an ensilage cutter, necessitating amputation above the elbow.

## FALLS FROM CARRIAGE DEAD.

Castleton Man Was Driving to His Daughters When End Came.

Castleton, Sept. 26.—While John F. Johnson of this village was driving to the home of his daughter yesterday morning, he fell from his carriage and was picked up dead. Heart failure is believed to have been the cause. He leaves a wife and three children.

## BAPTISTS FAVOR PROHIBITION LAW

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## As the Keeper of the Liquor—One Case of Intoxication in City Court This Morning.

About 10:30 o'clock last evening Officers Frank Hanel and Special Officer J. A. Danno armed with warrant issued by Grand Juror E. R. Davis made a raid on the house at 28 River street occupied by Mrs. William Cooney. A gallon of whiskey that was done up in a package was found and seized by the officers. Mrs. Cooney was arrested as the keeper of the liquor and was taken to the police station and confined in a cell over night. It is said that the officers found several men in the house when they called.

When arraigned in city court this morning Mrs. Cooney entered a plea of guilty to one offense of selling and was given a sentence of not less than three or more than ten months in the house of correction, and to pay the costs of prosecution and the condemning of the liquor. Mrs. Cooney had no attorney appear for her, but on her explanation to the court that she was in institute distraint, claiming that her husband had nothing towards supporting her for some time, and she had four young children to care for, and that she had already applied to the city for assistance, Judge Scott suspended the execution of the sentence and placed her on probation, reserving the right to execute the sentence at once if she committed the offense again.

George Brothers was arrested last night at his home on South Main street on a warrant by Chief Plunkett. In the city court this morning Brothers pleaded guilty to a first offense of intoxication. At Brothers' request the court allowed a suspension of sentence until Oct. 3. He was placed under \$50 bail which he furnished.

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Donalazi Unable to Get Bail, Though His Wife Has Worked Hard For It.

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Bail in the case of Antonio Donalazi of Northfield, who was indicted for a similar offense, was fixed at \$300. This could not be furnished, and he was remanded to jail. His wife, who raised such a rumpus last evening because she would not get to jail with him, called on the husband at the jail yesterday. She went there alone and civilly asked Sheriff Tracy for the privilege of seeing her husband for a short time. Her request was cheerfully granted. She has been trying hard all day to raise bail for her husband, but without success.

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## RESTRICTIONS ON MILK.

Montpelier Adopts New City Ordinance—Kelleher Resigns.

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Patent Company of Rutland Branch in Hand of Receiver.

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## DAUGHTER OF THE REGIMENT.

Montpelier Girl Gets News at Her 10th Birthday Party.

Montpelier, Sept. 26.—Lenora Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mills, entertained a party of her young friends last evening at her home on East State street, the occasion being in honor of her tenth birthday. A pleasing event in connection with the party was the arrival of a letter addressed to Miss Lenora from A. M. Robinson, acting president of the 6th Maine Veterans' association, and bearing the surprising announcement that she had been elected daughter of the regiment. With the letter was a gold badge on which was inscribed: "Lenora Mills, daughter of the 6th Maine Regiment." Henry Ricker, the grandfather of Miss Lenora, is an honorary member of the regiment, and the election was made at the last meeting of the regiment, at Ellsworth, Maine.

## STAGE DRIVER DEAD.

W. E. Noyes, West Topsham Driver, Succumbs to Bright's Disease.

West Topsham, Sept. 26.—W. E. Noyes, for six years the stage driver between this village and Barre, died last night at 11 o'clock, after about a month's illness. Mr. Noyes has been in rather poor health for some time, but he continued to drive his stage regularly up to within a month ago, when he was obliged to give up. He was 48 years old. His wife died about three months ago. He is survived by two daughters, Florence, aged 17, and Madeline, aged 11. Mr. Noyes came to Topsham from Williamstown about six years ago.

## SLID DOWN BANNISTER

HAS A BROKEN WRIST

James Coyne, a Pupil at The Mathewson School, Falls Down Air Shaft.

James Coyne, the son of Patrick M. Coyne of 10 Mount street, in his haste to get out of school, after being detained overtime yesterday afternoon, attempted to slide down the bannister of his home at the Mathewson building. He lost his balance, or laid over the rail too far, and fell from the stairs about half way between the third and second floors to the ground floor. He was picked up by the janitor, but the noise of the fall brought several teachers to the scene who did all they could for the lad until Dr. Reid arrived. He was taken to his home. It was found his left wrist was broken and he received a pretty bad scalp wound on his forehead. This morning the boy was as well as could be expected and is not suffering from further trouble than his wrist and the cut in his forehead.

## COMES TO LIFE.

So Main Street Gunning Club Ventures Forth, Result, Two Foxes.

After being practically dead for over a year the South Main Street Gunning club suddenly came to life again yesterday, elected officers and hired away to the hills of a fox chase. The new president of the club, George P. Miles, made good his qualifications for the office by bagging two handsome foxes before the exciting chase was over and was hailed by the members as the greatest president yet.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Jesse Phelps went to Manchester, N. H., yesterday on a visit with relatives.

Dudley Sterling left this noon on a business trip to Boston.

A. E. Fort was in Washington on business today.

C. W. Van Cor went to Northfield on business today.

Mrs. E. O. Tracy and Miss L. Dyle Tracy of Chelsea called on friends in the city today.

H. P. Baldwin went to Waterbury on business today.

St. John's court, C. O. P., will meet this evening at 7 o'clock, instead of at 7:30.

D. L. Martinson of Bristol, N. H., is visiting his sister, Mrs. N. M. Moore, of North Main street.

Mrs. Marcia Emery left last night for Merchantville, N. J., to spend the winter.

Miss Jennie Holden went to New Hampshire yesterday for a few days' vacation.

J. J. Kennedy has moved from 72 Brook street to Summer street.

Arthur H. Johnson of Hardwick is visiting friends in the city.

Andrew Geddis of Iowa is in the city on business.

P. J. Ryan of Hardwick is visiting friends in the city.

George Laundry of New York arrived in the city last night for a week's visit at the home of his brother-in-law, Jesse Cayhne.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davidson went to Montreal last night where Mrs. Davidson will take passage for a visit to the former home in Scotland.